

Table VIII.B.3.b.(1)(2002) Percent of private-sector full-time employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2002: (43 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	87.3%	75.2%	85.3%	90.0%	92.7%
New England:					
Connecticut	84.6%	85.4%	85.5%	73.1%	95.8%
Maine	86.3%	74.8%	77.8%	88.6%	95.7%
Massachusetts	89.5%	83.9%	86.3%	93.2%	91.2%
New Hampshire	89.5%	80.8%	87.0%	92.0%	94.1%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	84.9%	66.5%	79.7%	92.1%	93.8%
New York	87.9%	80.8%	84.9%	90.4%	91.6%
Pennsylvania	90.4%	83.0%	86.2%	95.5%	93.0%
East North Central:					
Illinois	88.7%	78.8%	86.9%	88.9%	95.0%
Indiana	88.4%	71.4%	90.2%	89.9%	95.5%
Michigan	89.3%	80.0%	87.8%	89.1%	95.0%
Ohio	87.3%	69.2%	92.3%	92.8%	87.3%
Wisconsin	89.2%	76.1%	90.6%	88.7%	94.0%
West North Central:					
Iowa	91.8%	79.9%	89.9%	95.3%	94.9%
Kansas	87.1%	78.9%	85.6%	80.4%	96.8%
Minnesota	89.1%	75.5%	80.3%	95.6%	96.7%
Missouri	82.0%	60.9%	80.0%	90.6%	88.1%
Nebraska	92.3%	83.8%	90.2%	91.0%	98.1%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	86.8%	72.1%	85.2%	93.4%	89.5%
Florida	86.8%	77.1%	84.5%	86.5%	94.0%
Georgia	85.9%	58.7%	81.1%	95.6%	94.8%
Maryland	87.1%	74.8%	89.0%	84.6%	94.8%
North Carolina	90.9%	67.0%	93.7%	95.6%	95.2%
South Carolina	87.6%	64.3%	85.4%	89.5%	96.8%
Virginia	81.6%	72.7%	79.3%	92.3%	78.6%
West Virginia	88.4%	79.0%	89.2%	92.6%	87.9%
East South Central:					
Alabama	92.8%	83.8%	89.7%	94.8%	97.5%
Kentucky	91.0%	81.6%	88.8%	91.3%	97.4%
Mississippi	87.7%	72.6%	89.8%	85.1%	96.6%
Tennessee	88.2%	66.6%	86.6%	92.3%	95.4%
West South Central:					
Louisiana	84.1%	65.2%	81.4%	91.2%	87.4%
Oklahoma	85.1%	61.7%	98.2%	81.7%	90.5%
Texas	88.1%	77.2%	84.3%	91.8%	93.1%
Mountain:					
Arizona	87.3%	78.9%	87.1%	87.5%	91.0%
Colorado	88.4%	78.9%	86.9%	88.0%	95.1%
Montana	89.7%	89.3%	83.3%	87.3%	94.5%
Nevada	84.5%	79.7%	79.4%	87.0%	88.8%
New Mexico	84.0%	72.6%	83.4%	87.0%	86.0%
Utah	88.6%	79.8%	87.9%	91.7%	90.9%
Wyoming	82.1%	80.2%	77.6%	89.0%	79.6%
Pacific:					
California	84.5%	73.9%	80.2%	86.5%	91.6%
Hawaii	91.1%	80.3%	91.0%	92.5%	96.2%
Oregon	84.8%	79.6%	80.2%	86.5%	89.7%
Washington	87.7%	85.0%	79.0%	90.6%	93.5%
States not shown separately	88.6%	76.9%	84.2%	90.8%	91.3%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2002 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

Table VIII.B.3.b.(1)(2002) Standard error for percent of private-sector full-time employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2002: (43 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	0.46%	0.68%	0.71%	0.66%	0.87%
New England:					
Connecticut	3.23%	4.85%	5.71%	6.80%	1.02%
Maine	2.92%	5.41%	5.29%	3.65%	1.08%
Massachusetts	1.37%	2.79%	2.48%	1.65%	3.59%
New Hampshire	1.25%	4.47%	2.09%	1.90%	1.26%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	2.92%	7.32%	2.49%	2.30%	3.01%
New York	1.51%	3.04%	3.97%	2.55%	2.60%
Pennsylvania	1.76%	2.84%	2.91%	1.94%	2.75%
East North Central:					
Illinois	1.87%	5.67%	2.76%	3.23%	1.55%
Indiana	1.68%	6.46%	2.90%	3.70%	0.81%
Michigan	1.86%	4.19%	2.48%	4.08%	1.47%
Ohio	1.97%	4.87%	1.67%	2.42%	4.21%
Wisconsin	1.55%	4.52%	1.74%	3.70%	1.65%
West North Central:					
Iowa	1.32%	4.93%	3.55%	1.40%	1.49%
Kansas	2.61%	7.10%	3.66%	6.47%	1.05%
Minnesota	2.73%	5.64%	5.08%	1.24%	2.71%
Missouri	3.30%	7.84%	4.62%	2.54%	5.60%
Nebraska	1.09%	6.07%	1.94%	2.70%	0.46%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	1.96%	3.81%	3.02%	2.58%	3.44%
Florida	1.65%	4.81%	2.75%	3.88%	1.84%
Georgia	1.91%	5.04%	3.26%	1.14%	1.62%
Maryland	1.86%	3.10%	2.93%	2.89%	1.73%
North Carolina	1.97%	6.01%	1.09%	1.06%	2.03%
South Carolina	1.60%	5.63%	2.53%	2.09%	1.02%
Virginia	2.21%	6.07%	3.92%	1.92%	6.36%
West Virginia	1.73%	5.44%	2.84%	1.61%	5.89%
East South Central:					
Alabama	1.37%	2.46%	2.95%	2.47%	1.00%
Kentucky	1.40%	3.38%	2.09%	3.19%	0.77%
Mississippi	1.94%	5.10%	3.49%	3.38%	1.28%
Tennessee	1.82%	6.58%	5.20%	2.45%	1.65%
West South Central:					
Louisiana	2.07%	5.82%	5.84%	2.22%	2.86%
Oklahoma	3.51%	6.35%	7.20%	5.59%	2.09%
Texas	0.97%	2.66%	2.86%	1.46%	2.19%
Mountain:					
Arizona	1.07%	2.92%	2.68%	1.55%	1.87%
Colorado	1.90%	5.01%	5.96%	3.43%	2.04%
Montana	1.80%	6.03%	3.68%	2.49%	2.86%
Nevada	2.16%	4.06%	5.02%	2.60%	1.99%
New Mexico	1.39%	5.38%	3.77%	3.65%	3.46%
Utah	2.34%	4.34%	5.11%	1.83%	3.34%
Wyoming	3.47%	4.57%	5.77%	3.34%	5.23%
Pacific:					
California	2.01%	3.47%	3.88%	3.40%	2.44%
Hawaii	1.51%	4.16%	2.14%	3.30%	1.36%
Oregon	2.62%	4.49%	4.58%	2.75%	4.27%
Washington	2.12%	7.66%	4.40%	1.87%	1.63%
States not shown separately	2.89%	4.71%	2.11%	2.02%	6.39%

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